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TRAMPLED TO DEATH.

Two Young Men Who Ventured Among the Cattle on Foot.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 15.—Two young men learning to be cow-boys were trampled to death near the Sweetwater yesterday, and the third only escaped the cattle's hoofs by his speed as a runner. All three invited their peril by venturing on the range on foot. George and Albert Avery, brothers, and the sons of a wealthy farmer near Youngstown, O., came out here in December. They had money and expected to buy a range in the spring. This winter they were learning the business at the ranch of a friend, another Ohio man, whose brief experience as a stockman dates back only to last August.

Daniel Stockwell, the owner of the ranch, and the Averages, took advantage of the light snow yesterday morning to go jack rabbit hunting, not knowing the effect that the sight of a man on foot has on range cattle. They strode along in their heavy boots until they were four or five miles from the ranch. They had shot considerable game, and were within a half mile of Independence Rock, a celebrated land-mark of overland travel in 1859, when they noticed a bunch of some 300 or 400 cattle running towards them. Their heads and tails were high in the air and they acted as if stampeded. It immediately flashed through Stockwell's mind that the herd was making for them and he gave the warning and started to run, throwing away his gun and game. The two boys ran a little way and turned and fired at the oncoming herd. The steers in the lead swerved to one side, but those behind rushed on and the young men went down beneath the pounding hoofs and were trampled into an unrecognizable mass.

Stockwell never stopped running till he had reached Independence rock and climbed to a place of safety. The herd dashed past him and were soon out of sight. The remains of the unfortunate cowboys were to be buried this morning and Stockwell is reported as to be almost wild with grief.

Report of Grand Jury.

Butler, Mo., Feb. 8th, 1889.

We, the Grand Jurors for Bates county, Circuit Court, beg leave to report:

That in the discharge of our duties, we have made an examination of all the various county offices, and found them without exception well kept and the records therein well up to date; and we hereby extend to our officers our thanks for the consideration shown and facilities extended us in making our examinations.

We further report that we have discharged a painful duty, imposed on us, by visiting a death trap, known as the Bates county jail. We found it in a decaying condition, totally unfit as a habitation for any member of the human family—guilty or innocent, and in its present condition unsafe and dangerous as a residence or place of confinement. We therefore cordially concur in the report of all former grand jurors heretofore made from time to time which "the memory of man runneth not to the contrary," that said jail be and stand condemned for the purpose for which it was and is intended with a deep and abiding condemnation. But such as it is, we found clean and well kept and the prisoners therein confined well fed with pure and wholesome food and well cared for so far as is possible so to do.

WM. P. LANE, Foreman.

JESSE JAMES, GOVERNOR.

The Way an Old Missouri Defence Bond Was Signed.

An old, seedily dressed man entered the office of the City Comptroller with a paper which he desired to show Gov. Campbell to see whether it had any value or not. On examination it proved to be an old \$50 Missouri defence bond of the kind issued during the civil war, and about the size and color of the ordinary greenback, which it resembles very much. It bore in the upper left hand corner, where the words United States of America are engraved on the greenback, the inscription "Missouri Defence Bond" and underneath the usual promise to pay bearer the face value, \$50. The instrument bore the printed date 186—, the remaining figure to be supplied by the state official signing it, but on this the date had been left blank.

It bore the stamp of genuineness at first glance, but a closer examination showed that while the bond was regular and the same as issued during the war, the space reserved for the signature bore instead of his name that of "Jesse James, Governor of Missouri," and underneath on the line reserved for the signature of some other state official, was the name of Dick Ford. The owner said that he had bought it thinking that it was a legal tender, and when told that it had no value whatever he seemed greatly disappointed.

A Missourian in Trouble.

London, Feb. 13.—Luke Emerson, a Missouri horse-dealer got very drunk last evening and attracted a great deal of attention from the rough element in the streets through which he staggered. At a late hour he wandered into Hanway street where he declared that he had been robbed of a large sum of money and some valuable papers. Suddenly he drew a revolver and fired four shots into the crowd, wounding two men, one of them seriously. He was arrested arraigned in the police court this morning and remanded for a week pending the result of the injuries of the wounded men. Emerson alleges that he fired in self defence, as he feared further violence after announcing that he had been robbed.

ONE OF THE LONDONERS SHOT BY THE MISSOURIAN DIES.

London, Feb. 14.—William Robinson, one of the men shot by Luke Emerson, the Missouri horse dealer has died. Emerson, who has recovered from his drunken spree, is still held by the police and will be examined for trial shortly.

WHO LUKE EMERSON IS.

Bowling Green, Mo., Feb. 14.—Luke Emerson, who fired on a crowd in London England, yesterday and killed a man, was brought up in this city and his home is here. His parents are among the wealthiest people of Pike county, and the action of the young man is a great shock to them. Luke is a dealer in horses, and was well known in St. Louis and Kansas City. As he usually carried large sums of money with him, he went armed, but was regarded as inoffensive. He had a weakness for but even when under the influence of liquor never developed homicidal tendencies. He is 26 years old.

A hitherto unpublished chapter in the life of Edgar Allan Poe will appear in Harper's Magazine for March. The old lady who was the heroine of this early love episode of the poet's gave Mr. Augustus Van Cleef permission to write down and publish her reminiscences of it provided her identity should not be reproduced in this number of Harper's was "the best one she had ever seen, and had his expression." She died in the West in 1887, over seventy years old.

ALL ARESTED.

The Electric Sugar Refining Schemers Caught in Michigan.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 17.—All the parties interested in the Electric Sugar Refining Co. frauds were arrested at Milan last night, the Sche returning to this city about midnight with Mrs. Olive E. Friend, William F. Howard, Emily Howard, George H. Howard and George Halstead, and placed them in the county jail where they are confined.

They were arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses, three indictments having been found against them by a grand-jury of New York last January. One is issued for fraud against the sugar company and two on complaint of Lawson N. Fuller New York.

On one of these indictments requisitions were made on the Governor of Michigan, who issued warrants for their arrest on February 1. The trouble has been to get all the parties within the state at the same time. Mrs. Friedl was in concealment and Howard was at Windsor. Yesterday morning they returned to Milan, feeling sure that no criminal action was to be brought, but they were arrested as above stated.

As it was late no bail could be obtained they remained in jail. Howard threatened that when they got to New York there would be a sensation greater than had ever stirred that city.

Eminently Correct.

The secret service of the government succeeded recently in trapping a verdant country lad of Iowa into an appearance of crime and had him sent to the penitentiary. It would seem that the department of justice of a great nation like this might find some better employment than sending decoy letters, with suggestions of crime, to unsophisticated and susceptible youths. Few indeed are the young men who cannot be led to acts of crime by ingenious temptation, and the secret agent or detective who plays his arts upon such deserves the felon's stripes more than does his victim.

Judge Henry and Judge Gibson.

Governor Francis late yesterday afternoon appointed Judge John W. Henry and James Gibson to fill the additional circuit court judgeships created by the Teasdale bill. These appointments will cause no surprise as they were expected and predicted by politicians and members of the bar ever since the passage of the bill. Although there were many candidates for the positions there was at no time any spirited contest. The appointments are satisfactory to the majority of the bar. Judge Henry was on the state supreme bench for nearly 12 years. After his retirement in 1887 he came to Kansas City where he has since resided.

James Gibson was mayor of Kansas City in 1883 and is a well known practicing attorney.

The new judges, as soon as they receive their commissions, will assume the duties of their office by hearing and determining ex parte proceedings in chambers. They will not go on the bench until the April term.

Deputy Sheriff Diehr returned yesterday from Carbon Center, where he had been serving papers for the Bates county circuit court, in the case of Sarah Ridge against R. A. Allen for \$10,000 damages caused by the death of plaintiff's husband, which occurred about a year ago in Mr. Allen's coal mine. Plaintiff claims that the mine was not properly timbered at the time her husband was killed.—Nevada Mail.

A Sure Cure for Smallpox.

A physician in Paris, France, gave the following recipe to cure smallpox, and stated he had tried it in hundreds of cases, and pronounced it as infallible as fate, viz:

Sulphate of zinc, one grain; fox glove (digitalis), one grain; half-teaspoonful of sugar, mixed with two tablespoonfuls of water. When thoroughly mixed, add four ounces of water.

Dose—A tablespoonful every hour; children half spoonful—and the disease will disappear in twenty-four hours.

One lady writes: "I have tried it in four marked cases of smallpox, and in less than twenty-four hours all pain, sore throat, dry, feverish, hot skin and all were gone, and they were cured."

I certainly should have been derelict in my duty to thousands of readers if I withheld the above information. The prescription can be filled at any drugstore. It is simple, and will do no harm to take it. I hope every physician will try it.—Letter in Kansas City Star.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, and shoddy alums or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., N. Y.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other interested parties, that I, Daniel H. Noel, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Bates county probate court, in Bates county, state of Missouri, to be held at Butler on the 15th day of May, 1889.

DANIEL H. NOEL, Administrator.

EVERY NIGHT I SCRATCHED Until the skin was raw. Body covered with scales like spots of mortar. Cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

I am going to tell you of an extraordinary cure you Cuticura Remedies performed on me. About the first of April last I noticed some red pimples coming out all over my body but thought nothing of it until some time later, when it began to look like spots of mortar rotted on, and which came off in layers, accompanied with itching. I would scratch eve night until I was raw, then the next night the scales, being formed meanwhile, were scratched off again. In vain did I consult all the doctors in the country, but without aid. After giving up all hopes of recovery, I happened to see an advertisement in the newspaper about your Cuticura Remedies, and purchased them from my druggist, and obtained almost immediate relief. I began to notice that the scales gradually dropped off and disappeared one by one, and have been free of the disease 15 months before I was taking the Cuticura remedies, and in four or five weeks was entirely cured. My disease was eczema and psoriasis. I recommended your Cuticura Remedies to all in my vicinity, and I know of a great many who have taken them, and thank me for the knowledge of them. Especially mothers who have babies with scaly eruptions on their heads and bodies. I can express in words the thanks to you for the Cuticura Remedies have been to me. My body was covered with scales, and I was a awful spectacle to behold. Now my skin is as nice and clear as a baby's.

GEO. COTTEY, Merrill, Wis.

St. 21, 1887.

F. 7, 1888.—Not a trace whatsoever of the disease from which I suffered has shown itself since my cure.

We cannot do justice to the esteem in which Cuticura, the great skin cure, and Cuticura Soap, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, prepared from the most refined and purest ingredients, are held by the thousands upon thousands whose lives have been made happy by a cure of agonizing, humiliating, itching and pimply diseases of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair.

Sell everywhere. Price, Cuticura, 50c; Soap, 25c; Resolvent, 50c. Prepared by the Per Drug and Chemical Co., Boston, Mass. Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations and 100 testimonials.

FM PLES, black-heads, red, rough, chapped and oily skin, prevented by CUTICURA SOAP.

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And Weakness, instantly relieved by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, a Perfect Antidote to Pain, Inflammation and Weakness. A new, instantaneous and infallible pain-killing plaster.

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At this stable, situated five miles north of Butler, and five miles south of Adrain, there will stand for the season, the following stock.

Membrino Chief Jr.

16 1-2 hands high, weight 1250, color bay, black points. Imported to this county from Kentucky, by Mr. Warnock last year. Perhaps there is not a horse, in the state of Missouri, combining within himself such an amount of thorough trotting blood, as this one. Can show a 2:50 gate, and has never been trained.

TIMOTHY,

16 hands high, color dark bay, star in the forehead, can show a three minute gait, without training. A good honest, general purpose horse, and when you want any better pedigree, you will have to go farther than Almont, who has 34, in the 2-30 list. Lady Thorn, 2-18 1/2 because he is directly descended from them, and combines all the best blood that has produced such trotters as Maud, S. J. F. C. etc.,

DON CARLOS.

Thoroughbred Jack, color black, mealy nose, five years old, 15 1-2 hands high, and a remarkable fine breeder imported to this county by W. Warnock, Also

DON PEDRO.

Jack, 15 hands high, color black, mealy nose, three years old, will be permitted to serve 20 mares. I insert this in the TIMES to call your attention to this stock, knowing that if you see them you will be pleased. In the next issue we will give the pedigree in full, also terms, conditions, etc.

Respectfully, CHAS. S. CONKLIN.

Gladstone's Weakness.

Mrs. Gladstone has to watch him more closely than ever to prevent her husband buying everything that takes his fancy. For years this has been his habit here in London, and tradesmen who sell him large orders are always prepared to see his wife arrive some hours later bringing back the most of her husband's purchases and insisting on the return of the money. I am told that this amiable trait has been growing on Mr. Gladstone greatly in the last year or two, but otherwise there is no possible sign of mental variation—much less impertinent.

Mrs. Emma Malloy, the noted temperance lecturer and evangelist, who gained such an unenviable notoriety in this state through her connection with Graham, who murdered his wife, was recently married to her cousin, Morris Barritt, at Port Townsend, Washington Territory. The writer of this knew Mrs. Malloy when no breath of suspicion was ever breathed against her, and when she was a power for good in temperance and religious circles. We doubt not she has been fully as much sinned against as sinner.—Clinton Advocate.

CONSUMPTION SUKELY CURED.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl St., New York.

Cut Off Their Ears.

New York, Feb. 15.—The Herald says that it is in possession of a secret circular which is being circulated among workingmen, expressing indignation at the frequency with which ill-advised strike are ordered and recommending a system of secret labor police and labor courts, whose sentences will be rigidly carried out. (There are secret executive offices.) Capital punishment is not approved, "but," it says, "the principal punishment to be inflicted will be to cut off the ears of bribe takers and traitors."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.